

**NON PERM SCIENTIFIC TECHNICIAN 2  
FISH PROGRAM, SCIENCE DIVISION  
WENATCHEE FIELD OFFICE, IN WENATCHEE**

There is currently two 6.5-month non-permanent Scientific Technician 2 employment opportunities with the Fish Program, Science Division located at the Wenatchee Field Office, in Wenatchee, Washington, Chelan County.

**Position: Scientific Technician 2**

**Duration: March 15, 2010 through appr. September 30, 2010**

**Salary: \$2426.00 - \$3135.00 Range 36**

**Duty Station Location: Wenatchee Field Office**

**Work schedule: 40 hours per week. Typically working weekends and holidays.**

**Responsibilities:** Successful candidates will be part of a team performing spawning ground surveys for summer steelhead and spring Chinook within the Wenatchee River Basin. Duties will include: identifying redds and fish on redds, conducting microhabitat measurements on redds, sampling salmonid carcasses for various biological data, collection of biological samples such as scales, and tissue samples, the use of handheld GPS units, data recording and possibly data entry. These positions will also assist in the construction and maintenance of in stream PIT Tag antennae arrays and assisting in sampling adult salmonids at an adult ladder trap located at Tumwater Dam on the Wenatchee River.

**Working Conditions:** Scheduling will include nights and weekends. Must be able walk up to 5 miles of stream per day. Also must be able to lift and maneuver adult salmon weighing up to 40 pounds. Work will often occur for extended periods in inclement weather. Applicant should have excellent interpersonal communication and time management skills.

**Minimum Qualifications:** Scientific Technician 2 - Graduation from high school or GED, including one year of high school science AND two years of experience as a Scientific Technician 1 OR Graduation from high school or GED including one year of school science AND two years of laboratory or field experience as an assistant to a biologist, chemist, or zoologist. \*College course work involving major study in biology, zoology, fisheries, chemistry, natural sciences, or closely allied field will substitute, year for year, for experience, provided course work includes at least six semester or nine quarter hours of natural science classes. A valid Washington State or other state's drivers license is required.

**HOW TO APPLY:** Contact Travis Maitland no later than February 14, 2010 by submitting the following: A completed State Application and Resume, via fax (509) 662-6606, or email to: [Travis.Maitland@dfw.wa.gov](mailto:Travis.Maitland@dfw.wa.gov); or mail to: WDFW, Fish Program; Attention: Travis Maitland; 3515 Hwy 97, Wenatchee, WA 98856

Closing date is February 14, 2010. Please pass this on to anyone who may be interested but does not have email.